(iii) wherever the subscriber is found to be financially sound, legal action is resorted to for recovery of the dues.

Propylene plant in Mathura Refinery

1781. SHRI K. VASUDEVA PANICKER: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM be pleased to state:

(a) whether a proposal to set up a propylene plant in Mathura Refinery is under consideration of Government; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof and by when the proposed plant is likely to start production?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM (SHRI NAWAL KISHORE SHARMA): (a) and (b) It is proposed to set up a propylene separation plant based on the feedstock from Mathura Refinery. The details are yet to be worked out.

Petro-chemical complex near Mathura

1782. SHRI K. VASUDEVA PANICKER: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to set up a new petro-chemical complex near Mathura;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) by when the complex is likely to come up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM (SHRI NAWAL KISHORE SHARMA): (a) to (c) A proposal has been under consideration of Government to set up in the Central Public Sector, an Aromatics Project in Saleempur, District Aligarh, (Uttar Pradesh) with the following capacity:

Benzene	1.6 lakh TPA
Xylenes	2.06 lakh TPA
Ethyl Benezene	0.175 lakh TPA

However, on account of constraint of resources in the public sector, alternative ways of implementing the project are being explored.

Production capacity of Mathura Refinery

1783. SHRI K. VASUDEVA PANICKER: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to increase the production capacity of Mathura Refinery;

(b) if so, whether any proposal of expansion of Mathura Refinery is also under consideration; and

(c) if the answer to part (b) above be in the affirmative, what are the details thereof and whether expansion programme will be undertaken during the Seventh Five Year Plan period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM (SHRI NAWAL KISHORE SHARMA): (a) to (c) A proposal to increase the capacity of Mathura Refinery from 6.0 to 7.5 MTPA during the Seventh Plan is under consideration. The Seventh Plan is yet to be finalised and further details will be known only thereafter.

Installation of crude oil pipeline

1784. SHRI ADINARAYANA REDDY: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited has undertaken to instal a crude oil pipeline to transport crude directly from outer harbour to the refinery;

(b) if so, what is the quantity of crude likely to be transported through this pipeline;

(c) whether the project was completed as per schedule; if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) what is the estimated saving in freight by using this pipeline?